

## SOUTH AUSTRALIA MONTHLY STATISTICS

FEBRUARY, 1944

Particulars	Jan 1944	- Feb. 1943		1944	1943
<u>VITAL</u> - Births Regd.	2174	1970	No.	1,214	929
Deaths "	843	1028	No.	441	514
Marriages,	891	1006	No.	435	503
Infantile Deaths	74	79	No.	43	38
<u>BUILDING PERMITS</u> - Metropolitan					
Dwellings			No.	8	17
			£	3,475	8,397
Other Buildings			No.	5	6
			£	17,130	41,085
Additions, &c.			No.	213	175
			£	21,267	11,257
Government			£	10,755	643
TOTAL VALUE			£	52,627	61,382
" " Jan-Feb			£	76,323	200,864
<u>STATE FINANCE</u> - Revenue			£	1,408,000	1,378,000
" July - Feb.			£	9,423,000	9,512,000
Expenditure			£	1,064,000	1,022,000
" July - Feb.			£	10,033,000	9,628,000
<u>BANKING</u> - Clearings - Weekly Average			£	5 530,952	4,599,442
Savings Bank Deposits			£	45,487,815	35,435,674
<u>GENERAL FINANCE</u> - Bankrupts, Schemes, &c.			No.	3	14
Assets			£	1,362	34,987
Liabilities			£	2 919	47,344
Real Estate - Mortgages -					
Loans			£	290,170	249,590
Discharges			£	390,175	319,517
Land Transferred			£	551,700	510,100
<u>SALES TAX</u> - Approx. Sales -Taxable Goods			£	1,126,204	1,242,173
Exempt "			£	2,715,089	2,280,936
Total			£	3,841,293	3,523,109
<u>MOTOR REGISTRATIONS</u> - New Vehicles - Cars			No.	1	20
Commercial			No.	92	14
Cycles			No.	-	5
<u>EMPLOYMENT</u> (Estimated)	July 1939	July 1941		December 1943	December 1942
Factories	33,832	44,581	M.	46,741	50,281
	7,845	12,152	F.	17,298	19,516
Retail Stores	7,550	7,278	M.	5,391	5,698
	5,850	7,184	F.	6,981	7,322
Grand Total	107,300	119,500	M.	112,000	116,000
(ex. Rural, Dom- estics, Defence).	32,300	40,100	F.	51,000	50,600
	139,600	159,600	T.	163,000	166,600

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